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SUBJECT: STEEL PRODUCTIVITY SEMINAR OUTLINE

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1. FOLLOWING IS PROPOSED OUTLINE FOR STEEL PRODUCTIVITY SEMINAR

LABOR PRODUCTIVITY IN STEEL INDUSTRY

NOVEMBER 5

9 AM-9:30 AM INTRODUCTIONS & OPENING REMARKS - DEPARTMENT OF  
LABOR, EMBASSY AND YUGOSLAV OFFICIALS

9:30 AM-10:30 AM INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING IN U.S. STEEL INDUSTRY-  
MR. DAVE CARR & MR. JAMES WALLACE - THIS SESSION WILL INCLUDE  
EXPLANATIONS OF TYPICAL COMPANY ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURES,  
FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTIONS OF THE VARIOUS OPERATIONS AND THE  
APPLICABILITY OF THESE OPERATIONS TO STEEL PRODUCTION FROM  
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RAW MATERIALS TO FINISHED PRODUCTS (ORE & COAL MINES, COKING

PLANTS, BLAST FURNACES, STEEL PROCESSING, ROLLING OPERATIONS).  
THE DISCUSSIONS WILL INCLUDE PRODUCTIVITY MEASUREMENT, METHODS  
IMPROVEMENT, COMPUTER APPLICATIONS FOR PROCESS CONTROL THROUGH  
DATA PROCESSING, WORKER COMPENSATION, PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT  
TECHNIQUES.

10:30 AM-10:45 AM BREAK

10:45 AM-11:45AM QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS AND OBSERVATIONS PER-  
TAINING TO ABOVE PRESENTATION.

11:45 AM-12 NOON BREAK

12 NOON-1 PM PLANNING FOR OPTIMUM PRODUCTIVITY-MR. CARR THIS  
SESSION WILL INCLUDE DESCRIPTIONS OF THE TECHNIQUES UTILIZED IN  
THE AREAS OF FACILITY PLANNING, PRODUCTION PLANNING, OPERATION  
PLANNING AND PROFIT PLANNING.

1 PM-1:15 PM BREAK

1:15 PM-2:15 PM QUESTION AND ANSWERS AND OBSERVATIONS PER-  
TAINING TO ABOVE PRESENTATION.

NOVEMBER 6

9 AM-10 AM PRODUCTIVITY MEASUREMENT - MR. WALLACE THIS SESSION  
WILL INCLUDE THE NEED AND METHODS FOR MEASURING MANPOWER  
UTILIZATION AND MACHINE PERFORMANCE. IT WILL ALSO COVER TECHNIQUES  
USED IN WORKER MOTIVATION AS WELL AS WORKER COMPENSATION.

10 AM-10:15 AM BREAK

10:15 AM-11:15 AM QUESTION AND ANSWERS AND OBSERVATIONS PER-  
TAINING TO ABOVE PRESENTATION.

11:15 AM-11:45 AM BREAK

11:45 AM-12:45 PM MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATION AND PLANNING-MR. CARR  
THIS SESSION WILL INCLUDE DAY TO DAY ROUTINE MAINTENANCE,  
SCHEDULING MAJOR EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE, MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATIONS  
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AND PROGRAMS USED TO ACHIEVE MAINTENANCE COST CONTROL, SUCH AS  
PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE.

12:45 PM-1 PM BREAK

1 PM-2 PM QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS AND OBSERVATIONS PERTAINING TO  
ABOVE PRESENTATION.

NOVEMBER 7

9 AM-10 AM OPTIMIZATION TECHNIQUES-MANUAL AND COMPUTER ASSISTED-MR. CARR AND MR. WALLACE THIS SESSION WILL BE DEVOTED TO TECHNIQUES TO OPTIMIZE STEEL OPERATIONS THROUGH IMPROVED METHODS AND COMPUTER UTILIZATION IN AREAS OF PROCESS CONTROL, DATA PROCESSING, OPERATOR GUIDANCE AND OVERALL MANAGEMENT CONTROL.

10 AM-10:15 AM BREAK

10:15 AM-11:15 AM QUESTION AND ANSWERS AND OBSERVATIONS PERTAINING TO ABOVE PRESENTATION.

11:15 AM-11:45 AM BREAK

11:45-12:45 PM LOW CAPITAL TECHNOLOGICAL IMPROVEMENTS-MR. ANDRE BRISSE THIS SESSION WILL REVIEW FACILITY MODIFICATIONS AND ALTERATIONS MADE IN U.S. STEEL PLANTS WHICH RESULTS IN ADDITIONAL OUTPUT AND/OR LABOR SAVINGS.

12:45 PM-1 PM BREAK

1 PM-2 PM QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS AND OBSERVATIONS PERTAINING TO ABOVE PRESENTATION.

NOTES: 1) COST EFFECTIVENESS IMPLICATIONS WILL BE INTEGRATED INTO DISCUSSIONS OF EACH TOPIC IN OUTLINE, RATHER THAN BEING TREATED AS A SEPARATE TOPIC. 2) MISSION MEMBERS WILL SIT AS A PANEL IN RESPONDING TO QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS MADE DURING EACH OPEN DISCUSSION PERIOD.

2. DOL SOLICITS COMMENT FROM EMBASSY AND YUGOSLAV SPONSOR RE OUTLINE.

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3. MISSION MEMBERS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR 2 OR 3 DAYS FOLLOWING SEMINAR FOR INFORMAL DISCUSSIONS WITH YUGOSLAV CHAMBER OF ECONOMY AND STEEL OFFICIALS, PLANT TOURS OR OTHER USEFUL FOLLOW UP ACTIVITY.

4. BIO-DATA OF MISSION MEMBERS WILL FOLLOW BY POUCH. INGERSOLL

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